



## Berkey Avenue Mennonite Fellowship

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### *Rooted and Grounded in Christ's Love (2022 Theme)* *Flood and Promise*

#### Call to Worship

Gathering Song: *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* VT 25  
Greeting and Prayer Hannah Heinzekehr  
Songs: *God of Our Strength* VT 47  
*Sing, Praise, and Bless the Lord* VT 77

#### Hearing God's Word

Song: *Will the children?* \*  
Children's Time Heinzekehr Family  
Prayer and Offering Hannah Heinzekehr  
Scripture and Sermon Mark Schloneger  
Scripture: Genesis 6:5-22, 8:6-12, 9:8-17  
Sermon: "Origin Stories"

#### Responding

Song: *Now Thank We All Our God* VT 114  
Congregational Sharing and Prayer Lois Stoltzfus Mast

#### Sending

Announcements Hannah Heinzekehr  
*(Please pass the friendship registers.)*  
Benediction  
Song: *Go, My Children* VT 830

#### Worship Participants

AV Technician: Terry MacGregor  
Song Leader: Greg Smucker  
Instrumentalist: Patsy Sherer  
Offertory: Andrea Bontrager Yoder and Children  
Ushers: Deb & Dan Williams  
Visuals: Rebecca Tarman

Visual note from Rebecca Tarman: *For September, the visuals focus on being still. God tells us to be still. He's got this. In a world that seems to be going a bit crazy, this is tough. Work, family, inequality, climate, health, finances, politics, on and on. All of this and I am supposed to chill out? Yes. I need to step out of the traffic. I need to remind myself that God is God and He is Lord of ALL. Stillness, to me anyway, means finding a way to let God invade your space. In the tumult of life, being still looks different to every individual. A drive, a walk, kneading a loaf of bread, reading the Word, painting a picture, prayer. By being still, we are allowing Him the room to work on our worries and remind us that our problems may seem great but His love is infinitely greater. Being by the water is where I feel closest to God. The visuals are a reminder to me to quiet my mind and allow God time to work His magic.*

\**Will the children?*, written by Greg Smucker

#### Fellowship

Everyone is invited to enjoy a time of fellowship. Nurture Hour classes will not meet today.

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